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VIENNA FOR AGATT

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OEXC, CZ, TGEN, TECH

SUBJECT: EXCHANGE AGREEMENT: S&T PROGRAM DOCUMENT DRAFT

REF: (A) STATE 8837; (B) PRAGUE 148, (C) 77 PRAGUE 3643

1. DEPARTMENT POSITION ON TEXT OF S&T PROGRAM DOCUMENT  
UNCHANGED FROM THAT IN REF A. THEREFORE, DEPARTMENT  
CANNOT ACCEPT ROLLING US DRAFT ARTICLES 3, 4, 5, 6 AND 8  
INTO SIX-POINT ARTICLE SUGGESTED IN REF B, WHICH IS  
SIMILAR TO VERSION REVIEWED EARLIER (REF C). IT MAY BE  
POSSIBLE, HOWEVER, TO INCLUDE SOME OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK  
AREAS IN ANNEX TO PROGRAM DOCUMENT.

2. REPLY TO QUERY CONCERNING ADMINISTRATION OF S&T PART  
OF EXCHANGES IS COMPLEX BECAUSE PARTICIPATING S&T AGENCIES  
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HAVE CONSIDERABLE AUTONOMY AND EXCLUSIVE FUNDING  
AUTHORITY. OVERALL ADMINISTRATIVE AND FOREIGN POLICY  
GUIDANCE WILL OF COURSE BE PROVIDED BY DEPARTMENT (OES)  
AS IN CASE OF ALL SIMILAR AGREEMENTS.

3. IN ACCORDANCE WITH PLAN WORKED OUT DURING THE  
AMBASSADOR'S DECEMBER CONSULTATIONS IN WASHINGTON FOR

CONTINUATION OF QUIET DISCUSSIONS BY PAO WITH GOC

REPRESENTATIVES ON DETAILS OF PROGRAM DOCUMENT,  
DEPARTMENT HAS NO RPT NO PROBLEM IN PROCEEDING WITH  
THE TALKS, AS OUTLINED IN REF B. HOWEVER, YOU SHOULD  
NOT WRAP UP PROGRAM DOCUMENT (IF THAT INDEED SHOULD  
BECOME POSSIBLE) WITHOUT RECEIVING SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION  
FROM DEPARTMENT. ALSO, YOU SHOULD CONTINUE TO REFRAIN  
FROM DISCUSSING SIGNING SCENARIO QUESTION, EVEN IF GOC  
REPS SHOULD DECIDE TO RAISE IT. VANCE

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